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HOW TO RUIN A BOY.

I do not suppose that there are many people who are anxious to ruin their children, either boys or girls; but it has seemed to me that a goodly number of parents are following the plan that is likely to lead to that result. If their aims are intended for that end, a few points from an observer may not be amiss. 1st, Commence early by indulging your boy in every way that you can. Give him money to spend without calling him to account as to what disposition he has made of it. Allow him to spend most of his idle time in the street, without regard to the kind of company he gets into. He may get with some who are playing cards or some other innocent amusement, and it would be rather embarrassing to him if you inquire too closely as to how he spends his time.

2nd, Show by your own actions that you have no regard for the Sabbath day, other than to cease from your usual daily toil. Spend the day in visiting or in entertaining visitors. Allow your boy the same privilege, or, if he prefers, to spend his time at playing ball, or gathering wild fruit. Tell him at times to be sure not to get into any mischief. To tell him this will not likely check his downward course, but it will help to ease your own conscience. You can occasionally go to church if you feel like doing so, and the weather is fair. You can tell your boy, that it would be very proper for him to go to church or Sabbath school. Tell him that it would perhaps be better if he would go to church at times than to be running about the streets. If this advice is given in a mild way it will not affect the boy, but it will ease your own conscience, and moderate the sting of self-reproach, if your boy is ruined, by remembering that you advised a different course of action. If the above style is followed until the boy is fifteen years of age you may regard it as rather an unusual thing if he is not ruined. But if such is not the case, you need not be discouraged; your boy is still young and may yet be allured to the downward path.

3rd. Increase the allowance of spending money and send him to the village post-office to spend the evening, or to some street corner where loafers do mostly congregate. Tell him not to remain late, but give him a night key in order that he can get in without disturbing the rest of the family in case he gets belated. He will undoubtedly understand that move. If he remains very late, and finally comes home having his breath scented with bad cigars and worse whiskey, do not be too harsh with him, remember that you were once young and did not always walk the strait and narrow path. If your boy is of a moral turn of mind, and does not readily take to haunts of vice, send him to the church festival. I know of no place so well calculated to turn a "well *meanen*" boy from the path of duty and rectitude as the church festival. It has always looked to me like a futile effort to serve God and mammon. It has been my opinion, that where the finances of the church and Sabbath school are kept up by means of festivals, the devil need not give himself any uneasiness about his interests in that part of his diocese.

Yours Truly, C.

NORMAL NOTES.

Next Monday the annual election of the board of trustees of the Normal School will take place.

This school is flourishing. New scholars are coming, and former graduates frequently return to take an advanced course. Six or eight of this latter class came this week.

Prof. Welsh and family returned from Atlantic City on Saturday night after an absence of two weeks.

The contractor, Mr. E. T. Long, of Wilkes-Barre, is now engaged putting on his finishing touches at the Normal.

In the list published heretofore of bicycle owners on Normal Hill, or those connected with the school, several names were omitted. We are authorized to say there are at least 12 there who indulge in this healthful exercise, and that several new Victors have been recently purchased by teachers.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post-office, and will be sent to the dead-letter office May 15, 1894.

Mr. Harry D. Baker, Michael Burke, Miss Mable Hause.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised May 1, 1894. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

THE PENN ELEVATOR ENGINEERING COMPANY.

This thrifty establishment, located between the canal and river on Ninth street, so new that it is scarcely yet finished, is already busily engaged on a $9,000 elevator order from New York. They are manufacturers of hydraulic and electric passenger elevators. They also manufacture steam-belt and hand-power elevators. Their property has a frontage of 400 feet, on Ninth street, and a depth of 250 feet. Their two-story building is 50 by 175 feet, and its interior is well equipped with first class machinery and workmen. They are thus fully competent to do first-class work. Their engine is of 60 horse-power and is propelled by steam generated in an 80 horse-power tubular steam boiler. Elevators of every description, and supplied with the latest improvements both for safety of passengers and convenience of operation, are manufactured by this company. None but the best materials are used, and the highest order of workmanship is guaranteed. For the present they have about 30 men on the pay-roll, whose pay of course constitutes an appreciated item of wages paid out in Bloomsburg. Should our citizens need Keystone Motors and Dynamos they also can be gotten through the agency of this company. The names of the gentlemanly officials are Geo. R. Stevens, president; John P. Casey, vice-president, and David S. Cann, secretary and treasurer.

The Small-Pox Scare.

Shickshinny has four cases of small-pox and one of varioloid confined to two families. Last Saturday morning Dr. Briggs in consultation with Dr. Hughes, who was attending the family of Mr. L. V. Sorber, pronounced the disease which was believed to be chicken pox, small pox. The baby was nearly over the disease and the three children who afterward took it are getting along nicely. The house was promptly quarantined and the Board of Health ordered all public services discontinued until further notice and the schools closed.

Miss Jennie Kelley, daughter of Mr. F. P. Kelley, who had been a visitor at Mr. Sorber's, was taken sick Saturday and on Sunday Dr. McKeage, the attending physician, and Dr. Briggs, president of the Board of Health, decided that the case was a mild form of varioloid, Miss Kelly having been recently vaccinated. The house and family were also quarantined. Miss Mary Search, daughter of James Search, of Huntington, who had been assisting Mrs. Sorber in her household duties, went home sick Saturday morning and her ailment has since proved to be small-pox. Her family suspected some contagious disease and moved into the barn, Mrs. Search remaining to care for her daughter.

The disease will probably not go beyond its present limits and there is no cause for alarm. The closing of the churches and schools by the health board was for the purpose of keeping the people apart until the disease developed in those who might have gone into Mr. Sorber's before the nature of the complaint became known. Miss Kelley seems to be the only one thus far and the schools and church services can be safely resumed in a few days. There need be no cause for alarm unless some one is fool-hardy enough to go into the houses where the disease exists. Out of town people run no risk in coming to town if they have business calling them here. There is no more danger in passing a small pox house than there is in passing a saloon and not so much to some persons. Diphtheria is far more contagious and is considered more dangerous in its effects by most people.

Dr. L. H. Taylor, of Wilkes-Barre, district inspector, was here Tuesday and agreed with the local physicians that we have small-pox.—*Mountain Echo*, of April 27th.

About the only thing needful to make us satisfied that the COLUMBIAN is filling her proper mission is a little spring poetry. We hate to mention it, but then we must, even though the very request reflects upon the editorial department. But don't all speak at once, please. Nor is it necessary in the poetic effusions to skip the topic far enough to work in either measles or small pox just in order to strike a rhyme or fill up a stanza. We would be pleased to have the poet or poetess confined to the opening buds and roses with license to touch upon the nectarine of the falling dew provided he she or it gets up early enough in the morning to smell the nectar.

J. K. EDGAR.

Jacob K. Edgar died suddenly at his home last Friday afternoon, from neuralgia of the heart. He was born in Northampton county, June 23, 1816, and came to Bloomsburg when a young man. For many years he was superintendent of the Irondale company store. He served two terms as a school director, and for many years was a vestryman of St. Paul's Church, of which he was a consistent member. He was married in 1838, to Catharine J. Bidleman, who survives him, with six children, namely, Mrs. D. Laycock, Mrs. J. S. Blue, Geo. B. and Horace D., of Bloomsburg; Charles Edgar who resides in Colorado, and Martha, who is teaching school in Luzerne county.

The funeral was held at the residence on Monday afternoon at four o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. C. Leverett.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Dr. Graydon's last lecture of the series, upon the topic of "Why do we Eat," was delivered to a crowded house last Monday evening.

The singing by students of the High School was thoroughly appreciated, and a vote of thanks was extended to the lecturer and to those furnishing the music.

The Men's meeting on next Saturday night will be in charge of Mr. Az. Hower.

Mr. Horace Breece will address the Men's Meeting on Sunday May 13th.

Prof. A. K. Aldinger, formerly General Sec'y of Oil City Y. M. C. A., will address the Men's Meeting on Sunday May 6th. at 2:30 P. M.

The Association has been conducting a successful meeting at Hidlay Church, Cabin Run, for some time.

It is putting it none too strong to say its exhilarating and invigorating to take an early walk in the cool of these delightful spring mornings. For instance, to have the watchful wife of your bosom wind up an alarm clock on you which she regulates to break the monotony of the morning stillness about 4.30 a. m., and which stillness aforesaid is soon broken again in gentler tones than those of the alarm clock, running somewhat as follows: "I don't want to hurry you off, honey, but if you want to make the early train on foot you must come down to eggs and coffee pretty soon." Thus fortified, and with a parting kiss thrown in, we repeat a morning stroll is invigorating—especially if you can get up in time to hear the birds sing and the brooks babble, as it were. It exhilarates but it don't intoxicate or run into an ugly unbreakable habit.

The gentlemen of Bloomsburg who are interesting themselves in the Bedal Gold Cure of the liquor and opium habits are certainly engaged in a worthy cause. It is one likely to bring blessings upon them from the reclaimed, whether it proves to be profitable to them in other respects or not. From a conversation with a reliable member of the Gold Cure Co. we are informed that this cure is a positive success, and from personal observation we are prepared to recommend it to all without regard to race, color, or previous condition of servitude to either opium or alcoholic intoxicants.

The first administration of Grover Cleveland gave Bloomsburg a post-office which, in comparison with what we had before, was palatial. Postmaster Clark changed the location, and purchased the new fixtures. Under the second term of Cleveland, still further improvements have been made, and through the enterprise of Postmaster Mercer and Paul E. Wirt, owner of the building, there is not a town in this State of the size of Bloomsburg with a more convenient and handsome post-office.

BUGS.

Our June bugs in May are not only a little premature but they are also so superabundant as to actually beat the bugs of the past. We see them everywhere, but more especially about the electric lights where by the thousands they have met death by coming in contact with electrical fire. Far and near we hear of them as filling the atmosphere in their migrations. But whence they came or whither they go, or what is their particular mission, the Power that sends them alone can tell.

The beautiful weather of last Sunday, brought out many people in the afternoon, who walked down to the river to see the progress of the work on the new bridge.

ST. PAUL'S CHOIR.

Masters Edward Elwell and Joseph Lyons made their first appearance in St. Paul's vested choir last Sunday evening. Other additions are expected soon.

William Sawyer and Fred Midgley have resigned from the choir, owing to their removal to Millville.

Prof. Chas. P. Elwell is now the organist, the retiring organist retaining the position of choirmaster. This arrangement will enable the choir to do even better work than they have been doing. The music last Sunday was excellent, and the solo by Mrs. Gilbert was beautifully rendered. Next Sunday morning the choir will render a Te Deum by Barnby which has never been heard here before, and the Jubilate by Garret, which they sang last Sunday. A new organ is needed.

THAT TREAT.

The recent generous treat from the Jacob's Ice Cream Parlor, which was intended for all hands on THE COLUMBIAN, materialized in good style and ice-cold; but unfortunately it came in the absence of both the editor and assistant editor, and therefore they can hardly pass favorable judgment upon its keeping qualities in warm weather. While the latter got home in time to sample the goods before the frost and the cream had entirely vanished, and therefore feels in duty bound to pronounce favorable judgment upon the wares of Mr. Jacobs, yet he takes upon himself the responsibility of saying the editor will reserve his judgement until he gets his cream.

SPRING WORK.

Now that the beauties of spring time are upon us and work is plentiful in all agricultural pursuits, how would it do for our State governors to make proclamation of the fact for the special benefit of the various "commonweal" squads who are marching right by employment every day. The farmers of the northwest especially are crying for farm hands, and Kelly's contingent "commonwealers" pretend, like so many tramps, to hear not the cry. And as for the eastern wing of the "unemployed wage earners," they too, are marching right by work that would certainly prevent begging.

A very disastrous railroad wreck occurred near Hughesville, Pa., on Saturday morning, resulting in the immediate death of Miss Welch, the daughter of the general manager of the road, and the serious injury of her intended husband, Mr. McClenahan. A freight train backing from a switch on the main track caused the wreck of the passenger train as it was passing. The young couple were on their way to Williamsport on business connected with their anticipated wedding. Mrs. Joseph Bailey, of Danville, was also seriously if not fatally injured.

Mrs. Caleb Barton, one of the oldest and most respected ladies of Bloomsburg, was one of the four original founders of the Methodist church in this place, there being three white and one black originally to cry "amen" to the proposition. This denomination now numbers 600 members, besides 75 now on brobation. Just now, we regret to say, there is some little disaffection, but whether it will prove seriously disruptive or not time alone can tell.

The "Callie" girls and the "Philo" boys of the Normal School give frequent public entertainments at which old and young alike may spend a pleasant evening. Where any special talent is unrevealed to the student the opportunity is thus afforded to disclose and cultivate it in the boys and girls alike. If nothing deemed worthy of particular cultivation is discernable in the student, then after all, the time is not wasted in an evening's diversion from the general routine of study.

We take it for granted from what we can gather that the scenery displayed in Lincoln J. Carter's "Fast Mail" is better than that usually brought here, and it is no doubt entitled to be called first class. The orchestral music, under direction of Prof. Chas. P. Elwell, was quite as good as that furnished (and better than much we have listened to) in the city.

Most of the older persons who were connected with the Irondale works have passed away. Among them are the President, C. R. Paxton, Superintendent E. R. Drinker, H. G. Phillips, Patrick Dillon and J. K. Edgar who were employed there for many years. Those who still survive are Joshua Fetterman, F. P. Drinker, Josiah Ralston and N. W. Barton.

BRIEF MENTION

About People You Know.

Captain Conner of Orangeville, we noticed in town on Friday.

Mr. Purman, the Espy landlord, drives a very pretty team of ponies.

Wm. Laycock is still sorely afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism.

Percival Foulk of Buckhorn, transacted business in town on Tuesday.

Judge M. Millard of Briarcreek was among the visitors to town on Monday.

John A. Kline of Benton, spent last Saturday at the county seat on business.

Mrs. Wolf Dreifuss of Milton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lowenberg and family.

Morris Seybert, who is reported as having been quite sick, we learn is in an improved condition.

Geo. W. Davis and E. T. Reese, prominent citizens of Centralia, spent last Saturday in town on business.

Rev. W. G. Ferguson will officiate as chaplain at the Antietam National Cemetery on Decoration Day.

W. W. Smith, a brother of John M. Smith of Jerseytown, is the manager of the Hazleton "Sentinel."

Mr. Allen Buck and Miss Sarah Golder, of Stillwater, were married by Rev. H. A. Dietterich, on April 28th.

Dr. I. L. Edwards of Benton, came down on the B. & S. on Tuesday morning, and spent a few hours in town.

Dr. Kilgore and son, J. Reese Kilgore, are now teaching a successful academic school at New Columbus.

Frank P. Eyer and Will L. Crist spent a few days the forepart of this week with the latter's mother at Pine Summit, Pa.

Rev. P. A. Heilman, of the Lutheran church, will not return from the Synod in session at Milton until next Monday.

Mr. Elias Bender, of Stillwater, was among passengers who arrived in Bloomsburg on the B. & S. on Monday morning.

Ella A. Powell's recent death called forth resolutions of respect and condolence from the Philologian Literary Society of the Normal.

Geo. C. Roan, foreman of this office, will represent Theta Castle, K. G. E. at the State Convention to be held in Easton next week.

John W. Mears started out on Tuesday on a trip through the county selling bicycles. He has had a wagon built specially to carry wheels.

Among the sick who are recovering we are pleased to mention Mrs. W. McCaslin, who has been sorely afflicted with rheumatism for some time.

William Shultz of Madison, was in Bloomsburg last Thursday for the first in some time. He is eighty years of age, and is an old resident.

Mrs. Welsh, wife of the Principal of the Normal School, walked down street on Monday evening. It was her first walk out for several months.

Prothonotary G. M. Quick is slowly recovering from a tedious illness. He is able to be out, but is not yet strong enough to stand much exertion.

The wife of Rev. E. A. Sharretts, of Fowlersville, was stricken with paralysis about two weeks ago. She was improving slowly when last heard from.

Mr. Caleb Barton, an aged and respected citizen of Bloomsburg, is now so infirm and sorely afflicted with rheumatism that he is wheeled about in his chair at home.

J. S. Gilbert came up from Philadelphia last Saturday and spent Sunday with relatives here and in Catawissa. Mrs. Gilbert is still here, and will return home on Saturday.

As representatives of the La Vallette Commandry of the A. and I. O. Knights of Malta, W. R. Kocher and D. W. Campbell attended the recent convention held at Lewisburg.

The recent death of Mrs. George W. Miller, who was buried at Weatherly on the 26th inst, called to her funeral from this place Geo. W. Miller, Harry W. Miller, and other near relatives.

T. D. Robbins of Lime Ridge spent last Thursday in Bloomsburg. He is extensively engaged in the nursery business with the firm of Harris & Robbins. They handle a large number of fruit trees.

Charles Jamison of Lime Ridge, drove to town on business last Monday. He is now turning over the Yankee biscuits that we used to think the devil had dropped a little too profusely on the old homestead.

Frank Ikeler and F. P. Drinker were appointed appraisers of the property of the Bloomsburg Iron Co., and completed their work last week. Part of the property is in Snyder county where they went last Friday.

Mrs. S. M. Runyon, who has been absent from Bloomsburg for some time looking after the comfort of her sick mother who resides at Jerseytown, returned on Saturday last, leaving her mother in improved condition.

James Goss is a first class painter, He served a long apprenticeship in England where he was born, and lived in Dartford, West Kent, until nearly three years ago. He is also a musician, and plays several instruments very well, among them the concertina, piccolo, and zither. He is a nephew of Mrs. W. Barrett.

C. H. Bates and C. A. Small appeared before the Examining Committee, Messrs. Maize, Rhawn and Wintersteen, last week Wednesday, and were examined for admission to the bar. They will be admitted next Monday. Both were students in the office of W. H. Rhawn, Esq.

Chas. F. Woodhouse, some years ago a member of the firm of Alexander & Woodhouse of this town, died at Silvan Springs, Arkansas, on April 21st. He has been engaged in the tobacco business in Chicago since he left here, and went to Arkansas for the benefit of his health.

Wm. Lamon of Briarcreek township was in town last Thursday. He is an old resident of this county, and held the office of county treasurer from 1872 to 1874. He has also filled a term as county commissioner, and has held numerous township offices in Briarcreek. Though somewhat advanced in years, he holds his age well.

Mr. Eli Knorr's dappled gray horse is a pet, and a fine one of which his owner is justly proud.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson, an aged and respected lady of New Columbus, is in a very precarious physical condition.

Rumor has it that Doctor Hal Wenner, of West Nanticoke, took the small-pox from the patients he attended at Teasdale.

Mr. Allen, a prominent resident of New Brighton, Pa., spent Sunday in town among christian friends, being himself a local preacher.

Mr. Horace Breece, Secretary of Y. M. C. A., of Berwick, Pa., is visiting Mr. B. F. Armstrong, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., of Bloomsburg.

Among the many who are repairing or beautifying their homes and walks this spring, we mention Mr. Billmeyer on Fourth street, Joseph Sharpless on Main street, Mr. I. D. White, Joshua Fetterman, H. W. Sloan, and in fact on every street of Bloomsburg more or less improvement or building is in progress.

Mrs. Mary Kapp, of Pittsburg, was buried there on the 2d inst. She was the aunt of George Kindt, of Wellsiverville, who in company with his brothers, Robert, Henry, Clifford and Oliver attended the funeral. The former named gentleman dropped in to exchange friendly greetings with the COLUMBIAN upon his return home on Thursday.

Shot While Singing.

A shocking affair occurred at Ridgefield Park, N. J. recently. Sarah Ploss, of New York, aged sixteen, and Ella Duane and Belle Shields, of Ridgefield Park, aged sixteen and fourteen respectively, were standing in the parlor of Augustus Duane's residence singing the hymn "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Peter Duane, aged 12, was also present. He stepped into the hall, where a breech loading gun stood, and, taking up the weapon, pointed it around the room at different ones.

Just as the muzzle came within range of the girls it was discharged, and Belle Shields fell to the floor as she was uttering the words, "Let me to Thy bosom fly."

The lad was not more than twelve feet from the girls, and the load of shot literally tore the top of the girl's head off, killing her instantly. Both her companions fainted, and great consternation followed.

A DUDE DARKEY

is attracting considerable attention in the large show window of Gidding & Co., the clothiers. He is dressed very swell in a cream full dress coat, with fancy vest and fine silk pantaloons—he also has an eye glass which he uses to see the number of people who constantly surround the window. The figure works automatically and is valued at two hundred and forty dollars.

Some folks don't believe more than half they read. The following is a case in point: The Philadelphia *Press* refuses to believe that Pullman, the palace car man, was happier when he hadn't a dollar, as he says he was, than he is now with $50,000,000. "Ditto here," says the *Bloomsburg Daily*, but how can a body tell without the 50 million.

G. M. Tustin and John Harman passed their examination for admission to the bar, last Thursday evening, before the committee consisting of J. H. Maize, L. S. Wintersteen and W. H. Rhawn, Esqs. Mr. Tustin read law with R. R. Little, Esq., and Mr. Harman with his uncle, Col. J. G. Freeze. They will be admitted next week.

Among the curious things connected with the general depression of business is the fact that so many workmen, laborers and artisans, are striking themselves out of work. The following extract from the *Sunbury Daily* exemplifies the point we would make:

"Every one of the four daily papers in Williamsport had to suspend publication on Saturday on account of a wholesale strike by their employes. Their demands were hoggish, and we admire the grit of the publishers in not complying with them. Printers were secured from a distance and the papers came out as usual on Monday."

Expert stenographic reporters say that while it takes years of constant practice to become thoroughly proficient, not more than about one person out of the hundred who study shorthand is physically and mentally qualified to make averbatim reporter. While those of phlegmatic temperament are too slow to keep up, those of nervous temperament are apt to succeed only according to educational qualifications, judgement, hearing, &c. Experts being well paid generally, the temptation to enter upon the study of stenography has rather drugged the market with incompetents whose errors frequently cost their employers more than their service is worth.

It is estimated that there are over $1,[illegible]6 worth of bicycles in town. There are at least a half dozen persons holding agencies for wheels.

THE ORTHOD-OX TEAM.

"Hold on, stranger! Turn out yonder close to the wall!
For the road's very narrow, and I've got it all!
Whoa, back, haw there, old Baptist! Whoa, Methodist, whoa!
These are oxen that need all the road, you must know.
Yes, I drive without swearin', though strange it may seem,
For I'm drivin', good stranger, my orthod-ox team!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"That Episcopal ox is of excellent breed;
Much more noted for style than he is for his speed.
Though of delicate structure, this ox will not shirk;
Yet he never was known, sir, to sweat at his work.
He's a good, pious ox, never losing his way,
For he reads all the sign-boards, and goes not astray!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"There's the good Baptist ox; he's hard-shell to the bone;
Close communion in diet—he eats all alone;
Shakes his head when it's rainin' and closes his eyes;
He hates to be sprinkled, though it comes from the skies;
Why, he won't cross a bridge unless dragged by the team;
He'll go nowhere, I swar, but 'down into' the stream!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"Presbyterian, gee! Congregational, haw!
They're good stock, let me tell you, and know how to draw!
They're so perfectly matched, sir, that very few folk
Can tell them apart when they're out of the yoke!
Yet you see a slight difference when it is shown;
One leans on his Elders and one stands alone!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"There's an ox I term Israel—oldest of all;
Once he grazed in the garden before Adam's fall;
He went into the ark at the time of the flood,
And when Pharaoh starved he was chewin' his cud!
There's an ancestry, sir, full of glory, no doubt,
But for goring the Master they're scattered about!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"I've an ox over there who tends strictly to biz;
He's a Catholic ox; what a monster he is!
And he keeps growin' big, while he keeps growin' old,
And he never let's go where he once gets a hold!
He's a strong one, you bet! Why, I never yet spoke
But he started right off with his neck in the yoke!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"There's old Methodist, one of the best on the road!
You'd suppose by the fuss he alone dragged the load!
How he pulls when I sing hallelujah, and shout;
But the worst of it is, he keeps changin' about!
He was bought on probation, and works like a top,
But I've had him three years, and suppose I must swop!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"That suave Universalist many admire;
Claims the devil's a myth, with his great prairie fire!
There's my Adventist claimin' to have second sight;
If he keeps on a-guessin' he'll guess the thing right!
And the Seventh Day Baptist; their numbers are such,
If they do break the Sabbath, they don't break it much!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"Got a Spiritist? Yes, sir, I bought him by chance;
When it comes to hard work he goes off in a trance.
Nothing practical, sir, in a medium ox,
If you have to keep proddin' with rappin's and knocks.
But I must keep movin' and ploddin' along
With my orthod-ox team, or the world will go wrong!"
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

"Take the road that I came, and beware of short cuts.
You will not lose the way if you follow the ruts.
I am sorry to force you, my friend, to turn out,
But this is the regular lumberman's route.
On the road of life, stranger, my right is supreme;
The whole world must turn out for my orthod-ox team."
Said the lumberman of Calaveras.

MARK'S OUTING.

Mark Parlington was in dis ress. That was one reason why he took a hansom straight from the doctor's to Ralph Gray's rooms in the Albany. He knew or might have known, that it was just the time when Ralph was most busy—the prime of the morning, when the writer's ideas are most vigorous and, as he fondly hopes, most original. But Mark was not altruist enough to care two pins whether he disturbed his friend in the middle of a notion of a fried sole. And yet he, too, was a writer.

He bounced into Ralph's room.

"I'm under sentence, my dear fellow," he cried, heedless of the composed look of reproach that was leveled at him, "and I thought you'd like to know."

"That's tiresome," exclaimed Ralph, methodically closing his fountain pen.

"Now, what I want to know is," proceeded Mark Parlington, "where am I to go?"

"If only I could meet with a girl like the future Mrs. Gray—at least, if all you say of her is to be believed."

"A most wise reservation, that!" said Ralph. "But there, now, why not get off to Wales and try your own luck? It is a lovely country and you will find the people in out-of the-way parts extraordinarily simple and unspoilt."

"All right. Give me her address, or at least tell me her name; and if she comes up to your portrait of her, Ralph, I'll take the leap, too, and settle down."

"I'll not give you her address, my dear fellow, nor tell you her name. But I'll tell you where I met her, and I think you'll have no difficulty in finding others something like her. You can take train to Pwllheli and then make your way to Aberenllyn anyhow please."

Parlington picked up his stick. "Thanks, my dear fellow. Oh, by the way, just write it down, will you? Aber—something or other is vague."

"Yes, it will be endurable," said Ralph, as he wrote the name on a slip of paper. "There you are and a good time to you."

The day after his interview with Ralph Gray he took train for Wales. It was close upon four o'clock when he reached Aberenllyn. An air of sacred calm was over the village.

Walking up the street he heard steps behind him and the door of a cottage opened. He turned to look into a pair of sunny gray eyes. They belonged to a young woman, whose pretty figure was well declared by her tight-fitting black dress. There was either the beginning or the end of a smile on her lips. The lips were small and shapelessly, and and so were the teeth they half hid. Mark did not take in all at once the fact that this girl was beautiful, but he felt instinctively that she had a humane heart under her bodice. In reply, therefore, to her charmingly lisped "Can we offer you shelter, sir?" he poured out his plaint. There was an elderly, dark-eyed and hard-faced woman in the gloom of a passage behind, and the night-cap on her head at once made Mark regard her as an enemy. But as he sat on a chair in the little room, cumbered with millinery into which he had been invited, and watched the play of the girl's face, Mark knew that he had gained an ally.

He sat in patience while the girl opened and carried on a lengthy conversation with the night-capped lady.

"My aunt says, sir," observed the girl at length, "that if you will excuse the confusion she shall give you a room."

Another look into the gray eyes and all Mark's scruples fled.

"I cannot tell you how relieved I feel," he said, with a genuinely grateful ring to his voice, as he followed the girl into a chamber nine feet square, the prim horse-haired furniture of which was disguised under its coat of dust.

"That iss my father," said the girl, pointing to the portrait of a broad-shouldered man in black, with a kindly expression on his somewhat shaggy face, and with a roll of paper in his hand, as if it were a truncheon. "And that," indicating a sour-mouthed minister on the other side of the room, "iss my father's brother, Uncle Owen."

"What must I call you," asked Mark, when his pretty deliverer brought him his tea and sat down to see him eat it.

"My name? Oh, it iss Claudia Rowlands—I am generally called Claudia; I like it best—and Mrs. Griffiths here is my aunt. You see it iss the hiring time, and she iss so busy then that one of uss, my sister or me, comes to help her with the shop—it iss amusing, too!"

His second day in Aberenllyn did but confirm his earlier impressions about this Welsh girl. He saw her now in her role of busy worker, doing everything that came in her way, and doing it all with the most winsome cheerfulness.

He dined on tinned Salmon of an indifferent brand; but Claudia served it, and at his request shared it with him. She was not a bit troubled at being asked to dine with him, but there was just coupcon of deference in her manner, which made her all the more charming.

Then she again took up her bonnets and continued to run between the shop and Mr. Parlington's room till even Mark's obdurate nature yearned in pity for her.

"Will you not come out with me?" he asked.

She excused herself with a smile. The bonnets and her aunt were her plea; but Mark saw it in her face that a sense of propriety also deterred her. Yet this same sense of propriety did not prevent her sitting with him for hour after hour in the evening, while she worked by the light of one candle, and Mark studied her face. Mrs. Griffiths came periodically to peep at them. She did not seem pleased at her niece's conduct, but as there was no relaxation in the bonnet-making she uttered no audible protest.

Somehow the talk took a literary turn. Claudia's father, who was a tradesman in a town at some distance was also a preacher. The roll of paper in his hands on the wall was one of his sermons.

"I suppose, Claudia, you don't read many novels?" he asked.

"No, Mr. Parlington, and it iss strange yet that I should not—though I cannot tell you altogether why. But when I wass a very little girl my Uncle Owen there took me upon hiss two knees and said I wass never to read those books, and I said I would not. They are wicked things, novels, Mr. Parlington, and put idle and vain thoughts into girls' minds."

"I myself am a writer of novels, Claudia," said Mark, stopping to see what effect his words would have upon the girl's face.

But they seemed to have hardly any. She colored slightly and her eyes took an earnest expression.

"Indeed; I am sorry I said that," she whispered. "They may not be so bad ass Uncle Owen thinks, and I suppose some people must write them, ass there are people who read them."

"She puts me down as a sort of scavenger!" thought Mark, with much mental disaffection.

"Claudia! Claudia!" called the aunt, and laying aside her work, the girl excused herself and left the room. When an hour later had passed, and she had not returned, Mark went to bed. He shuddered to think what Aberenllyn would be for him if she were not in it.

The next morning she said to him: "I have a letter from father this day, and I am to return to him the day after to-morrow. They miss me so much at home."

"The day after to-morrow!" echoed Mark. It was as if a veil had been suddenly drawn between him and the sunlight.

"Yess. I shall be sorry and I shall be glad, too. I am happy at home and I am happy here; but I do not sleep so well at Aberenllyn. It iss the salt in the air, the doctor tells father. My head iss always so hot in Aberenllyn, though I do not tell aunty."

Mark put his hand to the girl's brow. It was much too warm. He fancied the pretty forehead clung to his palm, and the fancy made his heart beat.

"You are the goddess of self-sacrifice, Claudia," he exclaimed, "and your aunt is a——"

But the girl's little white hand was to his lips in a moment. "You must not say anything against my aunt. I love her very much. She iss lonely and does not think people tire themselves."

Mark kissed the fingers that had thus assumed to bar his speech and gallantly returned the hand to its owner.

"You should not have done that," Mr. Parlington," she murmured. "It is not a very clean hand just now, I am afraid; indeed, it is not."

"It is a good one, and that is enough for me," said Mark. Her blush after the kiss had cheered him like an elixir in his veins.

The next day was misty and cold and the southwest wind drove the sea hard into Aberenllyn's little bay.

"Our last day!" said Mark, when Claudia greted him with her usual gladsome "good morning." Her eyes were very dark underneath.

"Yes, and it will be a bad one, too, Mr. Parlington. I am so sorry for you. But why will you leave Aberenllyn as well as me?"

"Do you think I can tolerate it without you?" retorted Mark.

Claudia laughed with a certain constraint.

"You would soon forget me," she said.

"Are you, Mr. Parlington, always so idle? No, no, I do not mean that, please forgive me. But when you are not here do you not work like other people?" asked Claudia.

"Yes, I work, my Claudia, and I work hard, too."

"But you mean at the writing, do you not? Iss that real work, Mr. Parlington?"

"Faith, I think so, child."

The girl dropped her needle and a hazy expression of far-awayness stole into her gray eyes. "I do not know if I shall ever be very wise, but I do feel so curious about London at times. It iss chiefly when I lie awake in the night."

"Coughing?"

"Well, yess, perhaps I am coughing—though you must not think me weak and good for nothing. My Uncle Owen says I have silly little ears, but that I should be more foolish if they were larger."

"I don't quite know, Claudia, what your Uncle Owen meant by that, but I think your ears, like every other part of you, are perfect."

The girl's cheeks crimsoned and she looked up. "Ah," she said, "but that iss only a compliment! My sister Grace—she iss older than me—hass had many things like that said to her."

"Your sister, Grace, Claudia, what is she like?"

"If you will excuse me I shall show you."

The girl tripped up stairs, but soon returned with two photographs.

"That iss Grace—iss she not sweet? and yet there are many who say we are much alike. And this is the gentleman she iss to marry."

Once again by his convulsive start Mark sent his chair leg through the floor.

"This, Claudia—this gentleman! Why it is Ralph Gray—a great friend of mine!"

By a deft movement he kicked the door and took Claudia's hand.

"Child," he exclaimed, "will you give me your life as your sister has given her's to Ralph? Will you be mine, Claudia?"

"Mr. Parlington," replied the girl, as she gazed earnestly at him, "you do not mean that!"

"I swear by—by your Uncle Owen and your father there, and by your own sweet self, that I mean every word of it."

"Oh, dear, oh, dear—only think of it! Coming auntie!"

This last was in answer to a querulous cry for her from the other side of the door, which Mark had shrewdly blocked.

Five minutes passed ere Claudia returned. She appeared in a pretty straw hat.

"See, Mr. Parlington," she said, pointing to the patch of blue in the sky that was visible from the window, "it is better weather. Aunt says I may take you as far as the old church, to show you my grandfather's tomb."

"Oh, with pleasure," observed Mark.

It was the most imposing monument in the churchyard, a white marble column telling of the deceased's many virtues (in Welsh) and indicating his age at death as eighty-two.

And there it was that Claudia became the betrothed of Mark Parlington. A year later, with her sister, Grace, she became a bride at a double wedding—the happy event in the lives of the four young friends of our story.—London Black and White.

The Curious Letter Q.

The letter Q is a superfluous alphabetic character—a nondescript of the worst sort and of no more real value in expressing or helping to express our thoughts in writing than one of the Chinese word signs would be. It never ends an English word and cannot begin one without the aid of the letter U, being invariably followed by the last-mentioned letter in all words belonging to our language. The man doesn't live who can tell the "why" of the peculiar relation of the letters Q and U, or why the former was given its curious name. Some argue that its name was applied because of the tail or cue at the bottom of the letter, but the original Q, when sounded just as it is to-day, was made without the cue, the character much resembling the English sign for pound, £.—New York Times.

A Costly Fence.

The big fence which surrounds the palace of Cornelius Vanderbilt, at Fifth avenue and Fifty-eighth street, is commented upon a good deal by out-of-town correspondents and others interested in the doings of this multi-millionaire. The fence is by no means a remarkable one to the casual observer, says the New York Sun. It is an iron fence, ten or twelve feet high, and similar to those in general use in Paris and Berlin. A member of the firm of iron workers who manufactured this fence, in speaking of it recently, said that it was a better piece of work than it seemed to be from the outside. It is wrought iron, not cast iron, and it cost Mr. Vanderbilt $42,000.

She Will Learn.

A touching story is told of a young bride in New York, who hesitated to go on with the ceremony because she did not wish to vow obedience to her husband. The girl was very young and very foolish, or she would have known that no woman nowadays considers the obedience clause in the ceremony as anything more than an idle and inoperative form. It was only when two or three married women placed the matter before her in the proper light that she consented to allow the service to proceed. In six months she will blush at the memory of her cowardice and ignorance.—Kansas City Star.

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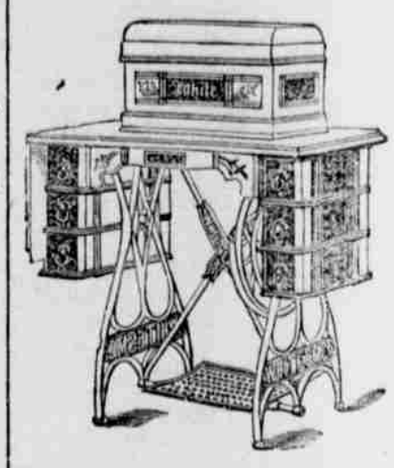

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IN CONGRESS.

Prospects of Democratic Harmony.

SENATOR MILLS' GREAT SPEECH.

General Coxey's Reception—The Populists Disown Him, Whatever the Anti-Tariff Reformers May Do for Him.

John Wedderburn's Crookedness.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.—At last there is harmony among the Democratic Senators on the tariff and the party presents a united front to the enemy. Concessions have been made which will not be satisfactory to lots of Democrats, but it was only by concession that harmony could be secured. There is one consolation for the party; the tariff bill as it will be amended will be a decided improvement upon the McKinley law, and it will receive the vote of every Democratic Senator. Having secured harmony, the Democratic Senators are now forcing the fighting and will continue to do so until the bill is passed. Everything is to be made to give way to one object—the passing of the bill; and there is every reason to believe that it will be passed in ample time to become a law on the first day of July. If the Republicans persist in the fillibustering tactics they have this week adopted, the Democrats propose to resort to heroic remedies to stop it, regardless of rules and precedents.

The great speech made by Senator Mills, of Texas, (many think the greatest of his life) in closing the general debate on the tariff bill, will probably be the last long tariff speech made on the Democratic side of the Senate. The present program is to compel longer daily sittings of the Senate and to let the Republicans do most of the talking until they have been allowed a reasonable time to debate the bill by items. Then there may be a continuous day and night session lasting until the final vote is reached, unless the Republicans will agree upon an early date for taking a vote, and at present there is no indication of their doing that. There are at least four Republican Senators who will not fillibuster to prevent a vote.

Mr. John Wedderburn, manager of the "Examiner Bureau of Claims," and the "Press Claims Co.," the last named concern being well known to newspaper publishers by reason of its sending out circulars asking big advertising in exchange for its stock, which was to have "millions in it," sometime in the future, has had some ugly charges made against him by Mr. William R. Hearst, publisher of the San Francisco *Examiner*, in a bill filed in court asking that a receiver be appointed and that Wedderburn be restrained from intermeddling with its affairs. Mr. Hearst says that he was a partner with Wedderburn in the Examiner Bureau, and makes the following specific charges against him: That he established the "Press Claims Co." without Hearst's consent; that he maintained it with money belonging to the Examiner Bureau; that he mismanaged claims, including some for subscribers of the Omaha *Bee* and the St. Paul *Pioneer Press*, and has refused to refund money which the contracts with those papers called for; that he has created a large indebtedness, including a note for $8,000 given to Mr Hearst's mother and signed without authority with the firm's name; that he has improperly used money for his personal expenses, and that he has injured the reputation of the San Francisco *Examiner* by his mismanagement of cases and by sending out a circular offering prizes for inventions, charging competitors an initial fee of five dollars

The local authorities have made al of their arrangements to receive Coxey's so-called army "commonweal." No trouble is anticipated, but if any comes they are fully prepared for it. If the men who come here with Coxey behave themselves and violate no law they will be allowed to remain as long as they please, or rather as long as they can get enough to eat, and you may be sure that will not be long. If they violate the law they will be treated just as other criminals are.

By the way, the Populists in Congress are, as the saying is, "between the devil and the deep sea" as to Coxey's army. When the "army" first started they to a man denounced the movement. Afterwards some of them tried to hedge, Senators Peffer and Allen introducing resolutions in the Senate, and Representatives Davis and Boen bills in the House, in the interest of the "army." This week they held a caucus on the subject. It isn't the "army" they are worrying about, but the votes of their constituents who sympathize with the absurd idea that brings the "army" here. It isn't likely to be much of an "army," after all, as from the best information at present obtainable, even if all of the various bodies of men now headed towards Washington should get here, which is not probable, there would only be 6,500 of them.

The House is steadily pushing its program of rapidly disposing of the regular appropriation bills.

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SENATOR MILL'S SPEECH.

HIS VIEWS ON THE TARIFF BILL—THE INCOME TAX DEFENDED.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—At 1 o'clock to-day the tariff bill was laid before the Senate and Senator Mills, of Texas, was recognized. There was a big attendance in the galleries and a number of Representatives from the House were present. Among those in the galleries were Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Charles Mills.

Senator Mills opened by saying that the bill did not entirely meet his approval. But all legislation was necessarily a matter of compromise. He might offer some amendments, but if they were rejected he should vote for the bill. It was a party measure and he believed every Democrat should sink his own preferences thus far. If he had been chosen to construct this bill and had had the forty-four members on the Democratic side of the chamber in accord with his views he could have constructed it on far different lines. He would not have left coffee and tea on the free list and put cotton, wool coal and iron on the dutiable list. It had always been the policy of the Democratic party to put a tax on those articles which were used by all the people and would yield the largest revenue at the smallest cost to the people.

REPUBLICAN PROMISES UNFULFILLED.

The Republican promise of an enlarged home market by a high protective tariff had not been fulfilled. He would put on the free list metals, wools, cotton fibres, iron and steel in pigs and all yarns—everything which required to be manufactured. He would do this in order that the manufacturers of this country might manufacture their goods at the lowest possible price, so that they could go into the markets of the world. He declared agriculture to be the staple interest of this country and no benefit had been derived from a protective duty by this interest. He declared that no other country could compete with us in agriculture; not even India could compete with us in the raising of wheat. It was ridiculous to say that a man plowing with the fork of a tree and a yoke of oxen, and who could not sickle an acre of wheat in twenty four hours, could compete with a man who uses machinery in every stage—who, by the use of one engine, could cut, thresh and bag eighty acres of wheat in a day.

The Republican policy, he said, was to provide a home market, but there were five billion dollars' worth of goods made in this country. Where were the people to come from to consume them? In order to carry out the Republican policy the people would have to be imported to consume our surplus agricultural products.

THE EXISTING DEPRESSION.

He denied that the present depressed condition of the country was due to the tariff agitation. It would have come three years ago but for the large crops of 1888, 1889, 1890. It did not come with the advent of the Democratic party as charged, but the people felt that the squall was coming on November 2, 1892, because the crop of 1892 was falling below that of 1891 and the crop of 1891 was away below that of the preceding year, so that the country was just where it was in 1889. And yet the Republicans said that the Democratic party had brought on this condition. It was the exhaustive McKinley tax and the exhaustive obstructions to agriculture that prostrated the farmers, and as they fell they threw out their arms, as Sampson did, and pulled down the whole structure of the temple of prosperity. The farmers stopped buying when their crops began to fail, and when they stopped buying the manufacturers stopped producing, and when they stopped producing they closed their mills and turned out their mechanics, and this had brought on the prostration.

He reasoned against the assumption that admission of foreign products would cheapen labor. American labor, he said, was the cheapest in the world owing to its productive power by the use of machinery. He cited statistics supplied to him by C. D. Wright, Chief of the Labor Bureau, to show that the labor value of production was a less per cent. of the whole in the United States than in any other country. Cotton yarn in the United States showed a less proportion of labor cost than in England.

MR. MILLS EXPLAINS.

A lively discussion occurred between Messrs. Mills and Aldrich, the latter asking why Great Britain had the cotton yarn market of the world if we could make it cheaper.

Mr. Mills replied that the climate entered into the manufacture of cotton yarn, and the climate of Great Britain was better suited to it than that of France, Germany or the United States. He stated that the labor cost of kid gloves in the United States is less than in France and Senator Aldrich asked him why we imported gloves from France. He replied that it might be for lack of skill to make gloves as well as the French. There were some things in which one country could not compete with other countries, under natural conditions, but we could do more in this country than almost any other country.

Mr. Mills quoted from a remark of Mr. Blaine that the tariff question went from the skin to core and from core to skin and the Republicans came here and demanded protection for the benefit of the workingmen, to equalize the difference in wages here and abroad—but if the difference in the labor cost of manufacturing steel rails was $3, why were the people taxed $13.44 a ton, as not more than $3 went to the workingman?

He denied that the tariff was responsible for the fall of prices. Prices were constantly falling all over the world by improved production. He analyzed the process of production of cotton cloth to show the part machinery and division of labor play in the reduction of its price. It is not adding to the cost of a thing that decreases the price, he said. The revenue tariff takes from the cost, and free trade would do it better.

A DEFENSE OF THE INCOME TAX.

Mr. Mills devoted a large part of his speech to a discussion and defense of the income tax. He lauded the action of the committee in reporting a tax on incomes. Why should wealth not be taxed? The object of all just government was to secure to all its subjects all the rights with which they were endowed by nature and protection in the enjoyment of those rights which they were guaranteed by the government. He dwelt upon the many instances in which the might of the government had been called out to protect the wealth of corporations and individuals. He recalled the fact that a few years ago when there was another panic—not a panic by anticipation—when the whole power of the great State of Pennsylvania was not sufficient to protect property in the city of Pittsburg from the crowds in the streets who were firing the buildings and the soldiers of the United States had been summoned to protect the city and were set to guard the railroads.

It was said that the income tax was unjust and iniquitous, and the Senator from New York (Mr. Hill), in his speech a few days ago had called it by all kinds of vile names, yet when he was Governor of the State of New York for six years he had never told the Legislature that the income tax which was on the statute books of the State was unjust and iniquitous. But if the law was good for New York, why was it not good for the whole nation? It was useless to denounce the income tax as iniquitous, unjust, etc.; it was useless to make any sophistical remarks about the difficulty of collecting the tax. The law was good to be passed, he declared emphatically, if not by this Congress, then by the next.

The close of Mr. Mills' speech was greeted by a hearty round of applause from the galleries and his Democratic colleagues crowded around him to extend their congratulations.

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John L. Kline, Treas., to A. E. Leiby, Catawissa.

Lloyd John Baker to Emma J. George, Conyngham.

Maria Harvey to Ezekiel Hess, Sugarloaf.

John Laubach to Ezekiel Hess, Sugarloaf.

Jacob Fritz to Ezekiel Hess, Sugarloaf.

Amandus Fritz to Ezekiel Hess, Sugarloaf.

W. R. Horn to Wm. Miller, Roaringcreek.

W. H. Yetter to John W. Lewis, Bloomsburg.

L. S. Wintersteen to Jacob H. Minnier, Benton.

Uriah Chamberlin to Pine twp. School District, Pine.

Andrew P. Roth to Zach. T. Ruckle, Montour.

F. A. Robbins to J. R. Fredericks, Main.

Susan Kuhn to M. E. Wagonhurst Bloom.

Fred Ikeler, Trustee, to Harrison Houck, Main.

Alfred Houck to Mary Yetter, Main.

Henry C. Cope to Paxton Creasy, Fishingcreek.

N. C. Hartman to Alice M. Hartman, Catawissa.

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HOWARD GOULD REJECTED.

Miss Odette Tyler, the actress whose engagement to marry Harry Gould was so suddenly broken off, has left this city and gone to Sharon Springs, Va. Miss Tyler is suffering from nervous prostration.

Since the announcement of the broken engagement she has been overwhelmed with letters and telegrams offering her fabulous salaries to appear in public. She has paid no attention to them, but the mere fact that she has been placed in a position to invite such proposition has preyed upon her sensitive nature, her nerves have given way and she has fled from the persecution.

This does not, however, mean that she will leave the stage, as she is under engagement as a member of the Empire Stock Company for next season. Next September she may appear for a short time in "Shenandoah" as *Gertrude Ellingham*, under Charles Frohman's management.

It has been said that Howard Gould broke the engagement on account of the opposition of his family to the match. As a matter of fact, Howard Gould did not break the engagement. Miss Tyler declined to enter a family which plainly showed that it did not desire to have her as a member.

Howard Gould was willing and anxious to marry the lady to whom he was engaged.

Miss Tyler insisted on knowing the specific objection urged against her by the Gould family, and Mr. Gould was finally induced, much against his will, as he protested, to tell her that one of the objections was that she was a divorced woman. Helen Gould, he said, was shocked at the notion of a divorced woman, whose first husband was living, being received into the Gould family. This settled the matter instantly.

Miss Tyler was granted a divorce from her first husband, on her own petition, the ground being abandonment, and no shadow of a cloud has ever rested on her name on account of the divorce. The moment this ground of objection was mentioned, she released Mr. Gould from his engagement, and insisted on his accepting the release.—*Philadelphia Times.*

Work Is Not a Drag.

Mrs. A. M. Clarke of Lapp's, Pa., writes: "I have been using Hood's Sarsaparilla. My little boy had no appetite and could not sleep. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and I found it did him good. He now eats and sleeps well. I am now taking it myself. I always felt tired and worn out. Now I can eat and sleep, and work does not seem to be a drag."

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A Chicago physician recommends whisky for grip. This is the boldest bid for the Presidency that has been made during the year.—*Minneapolis Times.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE TOWN COUNCIL.

At the last adjourned meeting of the Town Council, the following proceedings were had:

Prof. C. H. Albert asked for grade on East 2nd street so that he can put down his pavement. Street Com. and Town Engineer to look into the matter.

I. Hagenbuch asked about disposition of damages on Fifth street.

Geo. Kahler asked for damages awarded him by viewers for his property on North Fifth street.

Town Treasurer Maize presented his bond in the sum of $15,000 with Grant Herring, C. H. Campbell and Dr. Redeker. Approved.

Petition presented for electric light at Catharine and Seventh streets. Referred to Committee on Light.

Petition for sewer on Fourth street from East to first alley presented. Referred to Committee on Sewer.

T. J. Vanderslice asked about damages for Henry Yost on Fifth street.

Creasy and Yost moved that orders be issued to parties entitled for damages on Fifth street as ordered by the court, and said parties be required to vacate inside of 30 days. Said orders to be at five per cent. and orders not to be given until properties are vacated. Carried.

Petition for grade on Market street from D. L. & W. R. R. to south side of Port Noble street and that pavements be ordered put down. Referred to Com. on Highways on motion of Yost and Wilson.

Release for the right of way for extension of East Third street through Land Improvement Co. presented. On motion of Hicks and Yost referred to President Drinker.

Permits granted to Henry Yost for frame house on Fifth street, to John W. Lewis and N. A. Yetter for houses on Fourth street and to J. W. Conner for house on East Third street.

Creasy for the Finance Committee presented the following report, and in explanatory remarks claimed that the finances of the town were not in such bad shape as some suppose, and that he believes the indebtedness of the town can easily be wiped out by the end of the year:

LIABILITIES.

Bal. of unpaid acc'ts			$5486 42
Electric light for 1894			4350 00
Water Co.	"	"	1044 50
Police	"	"	770 00
Secretary	"	"	240 00
Fire Co.	"	"	150 00
Com. of Highways, &c.			1600 00
Town Hall			215 00
			$13855 92
Jno. Knies, $1250 and costs, &c.			2000 00
Orders given $800 plus $200			1000 00
Int. on bonds for 1894			1600 00
			$ 4600 00
Bonds maturing in '94, $2500 00			
Fifth St. debt			7800 00

RESOURCES.

Bal. of duplicates	$5000 00	
9 mill tax	16000 00	
		$ 21600 00
Licenses	$1000 00	

On motion of Knorr and Yost, Attorney Herring is authorized to settle with Mr. Knies for damage to his child by issuing order for $1250 as awarded him by court, with the understanding he withdraws other damage suit for himself.

Tax rate for coming year proposed as follows:

Sterling—9 mills.
Yost—12 mills.
Creasy—9 mills.
Hicks—9 mills.
Drinker—9 mills.

Dr. Harter says complaint has been made as to condition of water closets in Carpet Mill.

Following bills presented:

Auditors	$15.00
Freight for pipe	19.83
Steam Co for steam	18.04
" " repairing trap	85
Water Co.	86.67
T. C. Harter for medical service.	2.50

All orders paid except the 50 cent charge of Dr. Harter for medicine for Jacob Martz.

Property owners on West Fifth street are ordered to cut down side walks and lay pavement according to grade within 30 days, on motion of Sterling and Knorr.

Knorr and Yost moved that Council advertise for proposals to light the town with electric lights. Carried unanimously.

Adjourned.

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Mr. Benedict, whom President Cleveland appointed Public Printer, seems to hang fire somewhat in the important matter of confirmation by the Senate.

Senator Mills, Closing Tariff Speech.

The most remarkable and, we believe, the most logical speech that has been made on the tariff question this session was the masterly closing address of Senator Mills, of Texas, on the 24th ultimo. No doubt the Democratic political committees will utilize his common sense argument to advantage among the farmers, to whom Mr. Mills paid a highly deserved compliment, and with whom he is evidently in hearty sympathy, regarding them no doubt as the one class above all others that have been ruinously neglected in legislation and criminally imposed upon through taxation a half dozen times higher than that put upon corporate wealth or property. All opposition to the proposed income tax comes from the quarter of corporate wealth and not from the poor farmer, who has scarcely a single Representative who is willing to raise his voice for him in our halls of State or national legislation. Scarcely one that is in earnest about helping or relieving the distressed condition of the farmer, we solemnly affirm, can be found in our halls of legislation. And Senator Mills, fully recognizing this fact, declares agriculture to be the stable interest of this country, and that the farmer had certainly derived no benefit from the high protective duty imposed in behalf of our manufacturers. He declared that no other country could compete with us in agriculture and yet this leading industry has no protection.

The Republican policy he said, was to provide a home market, but where were the people to be found at home to consume our five billion dollars worth of goods made in this country. In order to carry out this policy we should have to import foreigners to consume our surplus agricultural products.

As to existing business depression he attributed it to the exhaustive McKinley tax and obstructions to agriculture that prostrated the farmers and "as they fell they threw out their arms, as Samson did, and pulled down the whole structure of the temple of national prosperity."

He said against the assumption that foreign products would cheapen labor, that owing to its productive power by use of machinery American labor is the cheapest in the world, notwithstanding the claims for high rates paid labor in this country. As to the income tax, so objectionable to the rich, Mr. Mills said, "Why should wealth not be taxed?"

Having struck the popular thought from the opening to the closing of his masterly address Senator Mills received not only a hearty round of applause from the galleries, but a very different reception on the floor of the Senate from that given the contrary effort of Senator Hill. This speech should be in pamphlet form for general distribution.

Though we were assured and reassured that the World's Fair scheme was likely to prove the financial ruination of its stock-holders — that was when it was necessary to lie in order to steal and get big appropriations— the cheering truth at last comes out that a nice little 10 per cent dividend has been divided among them. Considering the times 10 per cent. will do, though it don't begin to satisfy Chicago.

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MR. BUCKALEW FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to state that Hon. C. R. Buckalew will be a candidate for the congressional nomination in Columbia County, at the coming Democratic delegate election. It is not probable that he will have any opponent in this county, at least we have heard of none. Mr. Wolverton has not yet stated his intention to be a candidate in Northumberland county, but it seems to be understood that having had his two terms he will not run again. The Democracy needs such men as Mr. Buckalew in Congress. His ability and long experience in legislative bodies would prove valuable in such a time as the present.

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When the framers of our national Constitution carefully reserved the right of petition to all (the crankiest sovereign included) it may be it would have been wise to have said this sacred right should be reserved to all through written petition but never through personal endeavor, or through intimidation by force of numbers (armed or otherwise) at the halls of legislation. The inference to be drawn from the threatening attitude of the "commonwealers" is that they also reserve to themselves the disastrous right of intimidation at the very doors of our halls of legislation. To follow the example of the foreign bomb-thrower is only a step farther under cover of their so called sovereign rights. To thus approach the Capitol of this nation, whether as the hired emisaries of our plutocratic anti tariff-reformers, or as the particular friends of the Populistic idea of government, we can but deem it as unpatriotic and disastrous and anarchical in all its tendencies. Unless it is stopped, we may fear the worst from those who are wild enthusiasts if not downright cranks whenever political or religious excitement runs high.

As Others See Us.

If English prophecy about American stability were worth anything we should certainly begin to feel alarmed over the assertion that our Republic is crumbling to pieces. History tells us that she endeavored to help the crumbling process before the foundation of America was fairly finished, and that she was finally obliged to conclude the material we were building with a little too firm to crumble well. The latest from English sources runs somewhat as follows: "The Coxeyites are, we believe, for the most part well disposed persons who naturally imagine that legislators should have something to offer as remedies for popular grievances. Unless we greatly mistake, a conflict is preparing in America almost as serious as was their conflict over human slavery. Discontent, fierce and bitter, pervades the whole land."

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Washington News.

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Elmer Brugler's class in dancing will have a party at Grange Hall, this Friday evening.

The newest line of Gent's Neckwear, consisting of the latest novelties, at Townsend's.

The business office of the *Sentinel* has been recently improved by new paper and paint

"My sister has been cured of scrofula by Hood's Sarsaparilla." Edith Bell, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

The President of Town Council notifies bicycle riders that they must keep off the pavements.

A new stylish Spring Hat will be presented to any gentleman whose head it will fit, at Townsend's, the hatter.

The Sanitarium has been leased by the Bedal Gold Cure Co. and they will soon remove to it. This will give them fine quarters.

The Sunbury *Daily* announces that J. C. Brown, editor of the *Republican*, will be a candidate for the congressional nomination in this county.

J. R. Townsend is the leading Merchant Tailor of Columbia county. See his advertisement on fourth page. tf.

The old Rupert house on West street, now owned by B. W. Jury, is being remodelled and will be a handsome residence when completed.

Much interest has been manifested in the holiness meetings which have been in progress in the old Presbyterian Church during the past week.

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Lack of vitality and color-matter in the bulbs causes the hair to fall out and turn gray. We recommend Hall's Hair Renewer to prevent baldness and grayness.

If we are a prophet the prevailing warm weather will soon fix the smallpox. So let us hope, and congratulate ourselves upon Bloomsburg's escape thus far.

Mrs. Wm. Beers has now potatoes, propogated in the house in a box, that have tops over a foot high By transplanting she has the earliest of early potatoes. Try it.

Julius Lindegren, the piano tuner, has left Bloomsburg, but will return the latter part of June. Orders for tuning may be left at the store of Peacock & Co. 2t.

The pavement in front of E. A. Rawlings meat market has been raised, and the four wooden posts that support the awning have been removed and two iron posts put in.

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On the question of "All-night Light" by electricity Berwick voted "yes" by 109 majority last week. The victory was celebrated in old fashion style in the evening.

Looking at the business activity of Bloomsburg, one is led to think Berwick and many other places might, if it were political policy, also put idle men to work.

Mr. H. J. Clark, the owner of an entire square on East 4th street, is pushing to rapid completion a very neat frame house near the corner of Iron and 4th.

The handsome brick buildings of Mr. Slate and Judge Ikeler on Fifth street are in the hands of master mechanics and under the supervision of the enterprising owners.

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The man who called sarsaparilla a fraud, had good reason; for he got hold of a worthless mixture at "reduced rates." He changed his opinion, however, when he began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It pays to be careful, when buying medicines.

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As a result of a recent terrible earthquake in Greece, about 100,000 persons are left destitute of food or shelter. Many who knew no want ungratified hitherto were at once reduced to absolute want and beggary. The power controling the elements beneath us is the majestic and inscrutible power that sways the elements above us. A destructive cyclone also visited Summerville, Missouri, on the 18th ultimo. It was accompanied by hail as large as turkey eggs. It is a sad but truthful reflection that misery attracts while affluence and luxury repels godliness as a rule. "Whom the Lord loves he chastens" means something.

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Some Suggestions of Practical Value for the Coming Year.

I have just marketed my turkeys, and with a well-filled pocketbook as the result, feel quite satisfied with my labor of raising them. They are much more profitable than chickens, as far as my experience goes, although many persons assert that they eat enough more than chickens to make up the difference in weight, a statement which I very much doubt.

These turkeys were of the Bronze variety, and the young toms of last year's raising weighed on an average twenty pounds each. Their food has been quite an item of late, when the flock of fifty received a bushel of ears of corn a day, but it is selling at a pretty good figure made into turkey meat at a shilling a pound. The over supply of poultry of all kinds this year has kept the prices low. Last year my turkeys brought sixteen cents a pound, dressed—that is, with the feathers off, leaving the heads on, and entrails undrawn. Surely this is better than almost any other fowls will bring. Broilers may surpass it, but the weight per head is so small it would take nearly a dozen to bring as much as one of the turkeys.

But many will say: "It is such a task to raise turkeys." Yes; so it is, for the first few weeks, but after that they are no more trouble than an equal number of chickens. Give them what wheat or screenings they will eat and a chance to get plenty of fresh water to drink, and they are very little trouble. They like to roam over the fields, and as their food is mostly bugs, grasshoppers and other insects, they are a benefit rather than a detriment to the crops. In California vineyards large flocks of turkeys, often numbering hundreds, are kept among the vines to destroy the worms which feed upon them. One man who formerly lived in this county now owns a large vineyard in that State, and keeps a flock of 500 turkeys for this purpose. When his own vines are rid of the pest his neighbors hire the flock, and sometimes the birds go miles away for this purpose. They are herded like a flock of sheep, and driven along the highway in the same manner.

Turkeys sometimes do considerable damage to gardens, but by taking a little trouble to have the garden away from the place where the turkeys are kept, this is easily overcome. We raised all kinds of vegetables last summer in our garden, with very little bother from the turkeys. They do no more harm than chickens; either will undoubtedly eat cabbage, tomatoes, cucumbers, etc., if they come in contact with them.

I certainly know of no better way for farmers' wives to get the much-talked-of "pin-money" any easier, or in larger quantity, than by raising turkeys. Now is the time to get your breeding stock for the coming year. Make your selections early, and let the fowls get accustomed to their new surroundings before the laying season begins. If you prefer it, buy eggs and hatch them under common hens. This costs less than buying the fowls, and is fully as good a way to get a start. In selecting a hen to hatch turkey eggs, choose one that is not fidgety and nervous—if a hen can be called nervous, and I've seen some that could. A steady-going hen, that is not so heavy as to be clumsy, is best. She should be tame enough to allow one to pick up the little turkeys without getting excited, and to allow herself to be picked up, poults and all, to be carried to shelter should a storm threaten.

It requires vigilance for the first few weeks if one would raise a goodly percentage of the hatching. Kept free from lice, and fed bread squeezed out of hot milk, or sour milk curds, with a little pepper to prevent diarrhea, and a plentiful supply of fresh water in shallow dishes, and the little things will thrive and grow in a very satisfactory manner.

It is really a pleasure to care for a flock of young turkeys. They are much more interesting, and I actually get so attached to them that I dislike to have them killed. But such is the fate of turkeys.—Ella Rockwood, in the Country Gentleman.

Apples Wrapped in Paper.

We have tried the experiment in past years of wrapping apples for long keeping in thin and compact paper, each specimen being wrapped separately. The object was to preserve a nearly uniform temperature, and to exclude all tendency to decay. The experiment was successful, and specimens thus treated kept decidedly longer than those of the same size and quality without wrapping. Similar experiments are reported with apples thus prepared a year ago for exhibition at the World's Fair with like successful results. Reported accounts state that these were wrapped in paper and packed in barrels, and they had the advantage of cold storage, the uniform temperature being 33 degrees. "They all came out in splendid order in May and June with their characteristic flavor, though some of them were fall varieties hard to keep. They kept well two to four weeks after opening." The advantage of cold storage is shown by the fact that other specimens kept at a fluctuating temperature—from 33 to 3 degrees—were more or less decayed and lost.—Cultivator.

Shying Horses.

A horseman whose horse is given to shying, ought never to permit himself to evince symptoms of nervousness nor punish the animal for exhibitions of timidity. Whenever a horse directs the points of his ears in a certain direction, as though distrustful or afraid, the reins should be pulled in another direction, thus diverting the attention of the animal from the object causing the perturbation. If, on the other hand, force or harsh means are used to compel an acquaintance with the object feared the horse will be doubly excited, if not unmanageable. We have found in cases of shying or halting at real or fancied objects of disquiet, that stopping the horse and using soothing language, answers a very good purpose. If the object is stationary, the horse, after a short time, will most usually advance in the direction of it, approaching cautiously till satisfied no danger is to be apprehended, when he will resume his way in a quiet mood. But if cherished for shying, he will have two objects of fear instead of one, and become more confirmed in the habit of distrustfulness.

HEAD TO THE ENGINE.

A Sleeping-Car Porter Tells How Old Travelers Sleep.

"How will you have your feet?" the porter asked in a Wagner car coming from Buffalo.

"Feet to the engine," said the passenger.

"If you travel much you'l have your head put next to the engine," said the colored man.

"No," said the passenger, "I am afraid there might be a collision, and then I'd be thrown with all my weight against my head." The porter chuckled.

"I beg pardon, boss," said he "but I notice dat all de railroad men has their heads put toward de engine—and all the commercial travelers also. The biggest arguments is in favor of doing that way.

"In the first place, there ain't many head-on collisions. There's more danger of a rear-end collision. The reason is every passenger train has its own right of way, and runs regularly every night, and is looked out for by all the train hands that's running ahead of it. Therefore the most danger is from something behind which don't know when we have stopped or broke something and which runs into us unexpectedly.

"There ain't any one looking out for any kind of collisions, 'cause when they come it matters mighty little which end you're putting forward—your head or your feet—but if you insist on looking out for 'em from behind—I'm a-telling you."

"Any more arguments?"

"Got plenty more arguments, boss. You don't want to sleep with your feet toward the engine, because if you do the draught through the car blows right ag n your head, and when it gets cold at night your head and chest are exposed. Put your head toward the engine and you feel cool without gitting in no draught.

"It's just the same way in summer. If you sleep with your feet toward the engine you can't have your windows open, with the screen in 'em, without getting the wind and fine dust right in your face, whereas if you sleep with your head to the engine you get the cool air and no draught and dust."

"Is that all you know?"

"No, boss, I hain't told you the biggest argument yet why you should have your head made up toward the locomotive. The most serious thing of all is the circulation of the blood in your body. You been having your feet made up toward the engine, eh? Well, I rather reckon you don't never sleep very well in the cars, do you? Your night's res' is usually broken, ain't it? Well, sir, lemme make up your head to the engine, an' you'll sleep like you was a baby.

"It's because the motion of the train is so strong and steady that it sends all your blood toward the end that's furthest from the engine. Put your feet to the engine, and all your blood rushes straight to your head and gives you a restless night. Put your head to the engine and the blood goes away from your head, leaving it cool and easy so as you can rest like a child."

"Put my head toward the engine and stop talking, will you?"

"Yes, sir; all right, sir; anything you say, sir. You won't gredge me dat quarter in the morning, I'm a-telling you."

(A lapse of half an hour. Then a voice from between the curtains. It adresses the porter.)

"Solmomon; Diogenes, porter! Any arguments as to what part of the train is the safest?"

"There aren't no use of arguments 'bout dat, sir. The safest place on a train is the middle car on the side furthest from the other track."

"Good night, Cicero!"—New York Sun.

A Critical Period.

Young editor (reflectively)—If I don't publish this poem Grace has writ ten she will have nothing more to do with me. And if I do publish it, I shall probably lose my position.—Life.

Not That Kind of a Bar.

A gentleman from the Tennessee mountains was waiting for a friend in the drug store near the depot. He had never seen this friend, who had written him offering to exchange a large amount of bad money for a small amount of good bills. While tarrying the mountaineer observed the soda fountain. It was a new device to him, but after a moment he satisfied himself of its purpose.

Walking up to the attendant he said: "Gimme three fingers of red-eye."

"No liquor sold here, sir," was the answer.

"Wal, then, pull me a glass of beer, an' don't put so much foam on it as ye did fer the two gals that jest left."

"We have no beer."

"See here, stranger, if this ain't a distillery or a brewery, what in thunder mout it be, anyhow?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Sounds Plausible.

"I can understand why Father Time is represented as old, but why do they always picture him as lean and skinny?"

"I suppose it is because everybody seems to want all the spare time he can get."—Chicago Tribune.

Very Exact.

Judge (to witness)—What is your age senora?

Witness—I am over twenty.

"You must tell me the exact truth."

"Between twenty and thirty."

"But when will you be thirty?"

"To-morrow, my lord."—La Union de Valparaiso.

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WORK AT THE GREAT NAVAL GUN FACTORY.

Completion of the Guns for Our Battleships—The Question of Coast Defence—Opinion of Naval Officers—Importance of the Navy.

Special Washington Letter.

The visitor to Washington, who wishes to imbibe an impression of the weapons of modern warfare, should make a visit to the great gunship at the Washington navy yard. Visitors are freely admitted. Few are aware that our government now possesses the largest and most complete gunship in the world, surpassing that of the great Krupp at Essen, Germany. This great factory for arming our navy was built during Secretary Whitney's administration of the navy office, but has been greatly enlarged since. The objects of greatest interest in the navy yard at the present time are the twelve thirteen-inch guns that have been completed for the great battleships of the new navy. These guns are the largest ever built in this country, and the officers of the navy believe they will prove to be the most powerful ever built by any nation. The first of these guns went to the proving grounds this week.

Each of these great guns, in its finished state, weighs 136,000 pounds, and cost the government about $70,000. The steel shell to be used weighs 1,100 pounds, and, with a powder charge of 560 pounds, attains a velocity upon leaving the muzzle of 2,100 feet per second. At the range of half a mile, this projectile would pierce twenty-five inches of solid steel and, with proper elevation, the shell would be thrown a distance of thirteen miles. Practically, no armored ship in the world could resist the direct impact of one of these tremendous shells at the distance of two miles.

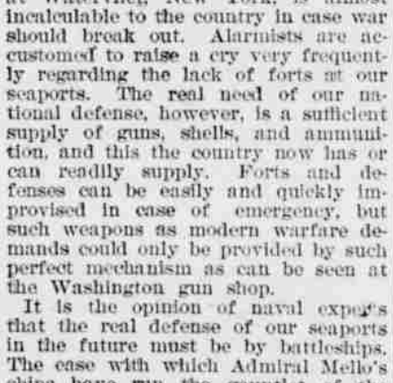
In the Gun Shop.

Such weapons of war constitute a terrible and effective argument for peace.

It needs a visit to this great gunshop to afford a proper idea of the enormous work required for the arming of our new ships. The works consist of several large shops, devoted to the manufacture of guns, carriages, shells, etc., for the navy. The manufacture of guns and shells is the principal object. Guns of every size are in constant course of construction. I counted 130 in process of manufacture at one time in a single tour of the shops, ranging from the four-inch rapid-fire guns to the great thirteen-inch guns already referred to. The capacity of the shops, if pushed, is about thirty guns of all sizes per month. The value of this great gunshop together with the army gun shop at Watervliet, New York, is almost incalculable to the country in case war should break out. Alarmists are accustomed to raise a cry very frequently regarding the lack of forts at our seaports. The real need of our national defense, however, is a sufficient supply of guns, shells, and ammunition, and this the country now has or can readily supply. Forts and defenses can be easily and quickly improvised in case of emergency, but such weapons as modern warfare demands could only be provided by such perfect mechanism as can be seen at the Washington gun shop.

It is the opinion of naval experts that the real defense of our seaports in the future must be by battleships. The case with which Admiral Mello's ships have run the gauntlet of the forts at Rio Janeiro has excited the attention of all interested in the subject of sea coast defense. The Brazilian forts were well armed with Krupp guns, and the Brazilian war ships are not of the latest or best type, yet the ships have easily beaten the forts, and nothing has saved Rio Janeiro from destruction by Mello except the interdict against bombarding the city enforced by the foreign fleets.

The first of the new fleet of modern battleships, the Indiana, is now ready for her trial trip, and she will mount the first of the new thirteen-inch guns. A fleet of these great ships, such as we are destined to have, with their high speed, comparatively easy draft, and heavy armaments, could readily concentrate at any point on our coast that an enemy could possibly menace. A battleship is really a floating fortress, and is much more formidable in defense than in attack. Hovering along our coast, taking advantage of the assistance of land batteries, such



The Indiana.

as could be readily constructed wherever needed in time of danger, a large fleet of such ships would render our seacoast absolutely unassailable. It is very certain that the completion of our great gunshops, and the equipping of a respectable modern fleet has practically placed us out of the category of nations liable to foreign attack. We are too rich and powerful to be assaulted unless actually unprovided with means of defense, and that condition of affairs has now passed away. As a matter of fact, we have advanced in the past ten years from a non aggressive to a very aggressive condition of national defense.

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JOHN M. CLARK,
Apr. 13. Secretary.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia Co., Pa., the undersigned, trustee, will expose to Public sale on the premises at ten o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1894,

The following described real estate late of Augusta Beeler, deceased, to-wit:

All the right, title and interest late of the said Augusta Beeler, in that certain lot of ground situate in Jamison City, Sugarloaf township, Columbia County and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: On the north by lot of Catharine M. Pennington, on the east by Broad street, on the south and west by alleys, being forty feet in front on Broad street and one hundred and fifty feet deep, on which are erected a two-story

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VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, MAY 7th, 1894,

at 2 o'clock p. m. the following:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Briarcreek township, Columbia county, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Francis Evans, on the east by land of Jeremiah Bomboy, on the south by public road leading from Martz' church to Berwick, and on the west by a private road and lands of Bradley Meixell, containing

NINETY-SEVEN ACRES,

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SNYDER, EVANS, } Att'ys. JOHN MOUREY, Sheriff.

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at 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that messuage, piece or lot of land situate in the town of Bloomsburg, County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Line alley, on the east by lot of Sarah A. Petrican, on the south by Third street and on the west by an alley, being Fifty feet in front and Forty feet in the rear, and Two Hundred and Six feet be the same more or less in depth, whereon is erected a two-story

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At 2 o'clock p. m. the following:

All that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Berwick, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner of lot No. eighteen on Smith street, thence by lot No. eighteen one hundred and seventy-three feet to an alley, thence by said alley forty-nine and one-half feet to lot No. twenty, thence by lot No. twenty one hundred and seventy-three feet to Smith street, thence by Smith street forty-nine and one-half feet to place of beginning, said lot being lot No. nineteen in Smith addition to the town of Berwick, whereon is erected a

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At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain house and lot situate in the borough of Millville, county of Columbia, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lot of Howard Greenly, on the east by Centre street, on the south by lot of Wilson Kinney, and on the west by an alley, containing about

ONE-FOURTH OF AN ACRE

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At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain messuage, piece or parcel of land situate in Orange township, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone in a public road, thence by same and land of George Ridlay north sixty-seven degrees east twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of Josiah Summers south thirteen degrees east twenty-nine perches to a stone, thence by land of Benjamin Drake south seventy degrees west twenty-one perches to a stone, thence by land of McClure Drake north thirty degrees west twenty-seven and nine-tenth perches to place of beginning, containing

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MONDAY, MAY 7th 1894,

At 2 o'clock p. m., the following:

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Greenwood township, county of Columbia, State of Pennsylvania, and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Matthew McHenry, on the east by Robert Edgar's heirs, on the south by land of Elizabeth Kline and on the west by lands of John Bantz, said to contain about

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Catawissa—O. D Kostenbauder, Henry J. Miller, Jesse Vensch.
Centre—J. F. Rink.
Fishingcreek—Norman McHenry.
Greenwood—C. R. Ruckle
Hemlock—Ellis Rees.
Locust—Jacob Fisher, Jonathan Beaver.
Mifflin—W. B. Goodhart.
Mt. Pleasant—M. E. Seibert.
Orange—J. D. Carl, J. W. Conner.
Scott—A. P. Howell.

TRAVERSE JURORS.

FIRST WEEK.

Beaver—Levi H. Michael.
Benton—A. W. McHenry, W. S. Laubach.
Berwick—Gid. Belshline, Frank Frantz, C. A. Wilson, Jacob Roup, B. Williams, A. D. Seely.
Bloom—Joseph Wells, John Fry, A. W. Duy, Wm. Shutt, Sr., M. L. Randall.
Briarcreek—J. H. Eck.
Catawissa—G. E. Rhawn, Wm. Berninger.
Centralia—Joseph Garrison, M. W. Brennan, John P. Bergan, G. W. Davis.
Conyngham—J. J. Mohan, Frank Heffner.
Greenwood—H. A. Myers, V. P. Eves, Adam Utt.
Hemlock—P. L. Werkheiser, D. C. Pursel.
Locust—Elias Whitner, Jacob Miller.
Madison—E. F. Welliver, Wm. Gingles.
Mifflin—D. C. Royer.
Montour—J. H. Hagenbuch.
Roaringcreek—Abner Hubert.
Sugarloaf—John G. Laubach.

SECOND WEEK.

Beaver—A. G. Pettit.
Benton—Thomas Seigfried, Jr.
Berwick—Adam Shallar, W. A. Ross.
Bloom—A. M. Derr, Wm. Swentzell, Jacob Millard, C. E. Winner, J. B. Kramer.
Catawissa—Alfred Hower, Wm. E. Kyer, H. F. Clark, Geo. B. Sharpless.
Centre—Thomas C. Kocher, A. J. Knorr.
Cleveland—John Gable.
Conyngham—Wm. Flannagan.
Fishingcreek—Jesse Runyan.
Franklin—Washington Farr.
Greenwood—Tillman Stadler, Geo. B. Appleman.
Jackson—A. J. Knouse, John H. Lunger, C. W. Young.
Locust—John Billig.
Mifflin—David S. Brown, M. B. Metler.
Montour—Isaiah Roberts.
Mt. Pleasant—Wm. Hower.
Orange—David Keller.
Scott—J. D. Terwilliger, Chas. Eckroth, B. W. Drake, Clarence Billhime.
Sugarloaf—Elias Seward, D. B. Steadman.

TRIAL LIST
FOR MAY TERM.

Annie E. Selp vs Mark D. Bowman et. al.
Lafayette Fetterman vs. William Thomas, Administratrix.
William Gingles vs. Lloyd Albertson et. al.
Sanctuary M. E. church vs. James Magee et al.
Isaac Dyer vs. the Township of Locust.
John Kniess vs. Town of Bloomsburg.
D. B. Fetterolf vs. Susquehanna Mutual Fire Insurance Co.
W. B. Ringrose vs. Town of Bloomsburg.
Ash & Bro., vs. Berwick Water Co.
Fenl. Lore vs. Borough of Millville.
George Aurand & Son vs John L. Kline, Treasurer.
Singer Mfg Co. vs James Dyke et ux.
Wm. Neal et al vs, Bloomsburg Belt R. R. Co.
Wm. Neal et al vs Rupert & Bloomsburg R. R. Co.
L. T. Rider vs. Charles Hughes.
J. A. Schreck's use vs. J. R. Schweppenheiser.
Clyde Chamberlain vs Joseph M. Lilley.
Andrew Hunsinger et ux vs. Sunbury, Hazleton & Wilkes-Barre R. R. Co.
Elizabeth Roadarmel vs. John F. Kress.
Russel P. Force vs B. F. Redline.
R. S. Houck vs. County of Columbia.
C. L. Sands & Co. vs G. H. Leffler & Bro.
Geo. Bellis vs. M. L. McHenry.
Mahala Craig vs. C. C. Evans.

WIDOWS' APPRAISEMENTS.

The following widows' appraisements will be presented to the Orphans' Court on the first Monday of May A. D 1894, and confirmed nisi, and unless exceptions are filed within four days thereafter will be confirmed absolute.

1. G. W. Adams, dec'd, estate, Locust township. Personalty, $99.85. Realty, $200.15. Total, $300.00.
2. Samuel W. Kester, dec'd, estate, Millville. Realty, $300.00.
3. Phineas Smith, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $13.63. Cash, $286.37. Total, $300 00.
4. Peter Cole, dec'd, estate, Millville. Personalty, $10.35.
5. R. M. Reeder, dec'd, estate, Franklin township. Personalty, $300 00.
6. C. L. Belles, dec'd, estate, Benton township. Personalty, $300.00.
7. David Kreisher, dec'd, estate, Cleveland township. Personalty, $300.00.
8. J. S. Yohe, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $89.00.
9. John J. Karns, dec'd, estate, Benton township. Realty, $300.00.
10. John Michael, dec'd, estate, Mifflin township. Personalty, $209.30. Realty, $90.70. Total, $300.00.
11. William S. Hess, dec'd, estate, Centre township. Personalty, $300.00.

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For Danville and Milton, weekdays, 7.45 a. m., 3.15 Sunday, 7.59 a. m., 4.29 p. m.
For Catawissa weekdays 7.45, 11.15 a. m., 12.15, 5.00 6.30, p. m. Sunday, 10.20 a. m. 7.02 p. m.
For Rupert weekdays 7.45, 11.15 a. m., 12.15, 3.15 5.00, 6.30, p. m. Sunday 7.59, 10.20 a. m., 4.29 7.02 p. m.

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Leave New York via Philadelphia 8.09 a. m., and via Easton 9.10 a. m.
Leave Philadelphia 10.20 a. m.
Leave Reading 11.50 a. m.
Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.
Leave Tamaqua 1.20 a. m.,
Leave Williamsport weekdays 8.35 a. m, 4.25 p. m., Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 4.25 p. m.
Leave Catawissa weekdays, 7.00, 8.20 a. m. 1.30, 3.18, 8.10, Sunday, 7.45 a. m., 4.15 p m.
Leave Rupert, weekdays, 7.08, 8.27, 11.21 a. m., 1.37 3.37, 6.20. Sundays, 7.53, 10.13 a. m. 4.23 6.55 p. m.

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6 20	7 20	Bloomsburg D. L. & W. Dep	8 35 5 40
6 24	7 18	P & R. Depot,	8 29 5 44
6 24	7 13	Bloomsburg Main Street.	8 44 5 47
6 29	7 10	Irondale	8 45 6 50
6 14	7 03	Paper Mill	8 52 6 58
6 19	7 00	Lightstreet	8 55 7 02
5 59	6 10	Orangeville	9 01 7 10
5 48	6 [illegible]	Forks	9 4 7 21
5 44	6 35	Zaners	9 18 7 24
5 37	6 28	Stillwater	9 25 7 29
5 27	6 18	Benton	9 35 7 39
5 21	6 11	Edsons	9 41 7 44
5 20	6 12	Colvins Creek	9 42 7 45
5 18	6 08	Sugarloaf	9 46 7 52
5 13	6 01	Lutheches	9 50 7 57
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STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 20	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	...	....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5 58
Catawissa	7 05	2 26	10 39	6 [illegible]
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 [illegible]
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 49
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	44
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 46
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 50
Briarcreek	7 41	....	.....	6 56
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	..	7 43
Plymouth	8 35	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 47	4 05	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	....	8 17
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 14	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 [illegible]	.....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
Scranton	9 35	4 55	12 45	8 52
STATIONS.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	M
	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 45	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 31
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 01
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 21	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 35	7 53
Briar Creek	8 09	...	3 40	...
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 42	12 23	4 18	8 28
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 33	8 43
Chulasky	9 08	.....	4 46	...
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
Northumberland	9 22	1 00	5 06	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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EASTWARD.

9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:51 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m. connecting at Philadelphia for all sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 10:05 p. m.; Baltimore 7:2 p. m.; Washington 8:37 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 11:15 p. m. New York 3:54 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:17 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7.33 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—Train 4 (daily) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9.31 a. m., weekdays; 10:31 a. m., Sunday. Baltimore 6:40 a. m. Washington 7:40 a. m., Pullman sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m. and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

1:35 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars to Buffalo and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:44 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Ralston and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.—Train 13 daily for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:56 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 12:05 p. m., Washington 11:05 a. m., Baltimore 12:00 noon, (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:39 p. m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 2.10 p. m., weekdays 2:00 p. m. Sunday, Philadelphia 4:40 p. m. weekdays; 4.30 p. m. Sunday. Washington 3:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:12 p. m. daily, arriving at Sunbury 9:25 p. m. Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:00 p. m., Philadelphia 8:50 p. m., Washington 7:10 p. m., Baltimore 8:15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 a. m. weekdays, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:30 p. m., Washington 10.40 p. m., Baltimore 11:40 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:08 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12.10 p. m. Hazleton 12:15 p. m., Pottsville 1.25 p. m.

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:47 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:33 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 8:00 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9 35 a m.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5 15 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m. Train 36 leaves Wilkes-Barre 4:40 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:05 p. m., Sunbury 7:00 p. m.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County. Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

EAST BENTON.

Mrs. William Wilson of this place is in a critical condition.

Daniel Hess has hired with Judge Krickbaum.

The fruit prospect hereabouts is very flattering.

Bruce Hess, son-in-law of William Ipher, was thrown off a horse and considerably hurt.

There is a lull just now in matrimonial activity.

At this date, April 30, there is still a great deal of oats unsown.

The Junior Prof. Killgore attended church at St James last Sunday, after which he and his best girl took dinner with Frank Pealer.

S. P. Krickbaum is not gaining in health as rapidly as is desirable.

The small-pox scare is the cause of many sore arms by reason of vaccination.

There was a case of small pox reported from Pinecreek. There were also two cases reported from Benton. But the small pox are not so thick yet hereabouts.

At last the Democrats breathe a little easier as *Tariff* reform has taken a new start. Dilly-dallying seems to have dilly-dallied out. Such a dilly-dallying Senate ought to be dilly-dallied to "Limbo."

There will be an entertainment Saturday evening of May 5th, at the closing of the Cambra public school.

Prof. Casterline is a very successful teacher. He will also open a select school after the close of the public term.

The Old-fashioned Style

of pill gives you a feeling of horror when you see it and when you feel it. Like the "blunderbuss" of a former decade it is big and clumsy, but not effective. In this century of enlightenment you have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which cure all liver troubles in the most effective way. They're not easily seen for they're small as grains of mustard seed, but the effect is lasting and the cure complete. For Indigestion, Constipation, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Bilious Headache, nothing has been found to equal these pills of Dr. Pierce's invention. They give such complete relief that their makers promise that they'll give you satisfaction or your money will be returned. Smallest, cheapest, easiest to take. One a dose. 25 cts. a vial. A vest-pocket remedy.

ESPY.

Miss Martha Abbott has improved the appearance of her house by a new coat of paint.

Messrs. Chas. Hess and Wm. Heckman took a drive to Berwick on Sunday.

Freas Ringrose, who has been working in the telegraph office at Bennett's for a short time, is home again.

Prospects for the boat yard are becoming brighter. Nine new men have been added this week, and work appears to be on the increase.

Our landlord, Mr. Purman, takes daily outings with his team of ponies. They are a fine little pair of animals.

Messrs. John K. Miller and John Fiddler have purchased bicycles of Dr. Redeker.

Sections From Fish Laws of Pennsylvania.

1st. It is made illegal to catch speckled trout save only by rod and line, at any time, or to place any set lines or set nets across any streaminhabited by them, under penalty of $25 00.

2d. No person shall kill, sell, or have in possession after being killed, any speckled trout, save only from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of July, under penalty of $10.00 for each fish. No person shall take, for sale, any trout less than five inches long, or fish in any waters, for three years, in which brook trout have been planted by the fish commissioners, when public notice of said planting has been given under penalty of $20.00.

The above extracts from the fish laws of Pennsylvania about cover the ground as far as trout are concerned.

In the last section the words "No person shall take, for sale, any trout less than five inches long," etc., show that one may catch and eat trout five inches long, but that none of that length or under dare be bought or sold.

Be cautious, you sports who buy trout and then swear you caught them; be cautious. —Walton.

Smiling Through Tears.

Telling his wife he was weary of life, Isaac Sparr, a wealthy farmer near Altoona, shot himself to death.

It is wrong to suppose that the most miserable in this life, and therefore about the only suicides, are those who are poverty-stricken.

With more than enough of this world's goods either the mind or stomach may be so deranged as to make life not worth living.

While with nothing but a firm reliance upon God's promises happiness and cheerfulness unknown to the affluent is quite characteristic of those whom God's love and guidance causes to smile through their tears, and they really enjoy life.

This happy peculiarity of smiling through tears may be classed among the mysteries of God's kind providence, and yet it is a tangible fact that is easily verified.

The Gist of It.

Had there been no income-tax adhering to the tariff bill it would no doubt have passed long ago. It is this proposition to tax the rich that has clogged the wheels of legislation and thrown labor out of employment from Maine to California quite as much as the proposition to reform or revise the tariff which the rich had fixed up to suit themselves under Republican administrations. Had Repnblican adjustment of the tariff been what the sover eign power of this country wants then we should have had no change, no discontent because of distress under the Republican regime, and certainly no ousting of Republicans in order that Democrats might reform the tariff and place an equitable tax upon fabuous wealth as a means of raising revenue.

The public servant, whether he be a Senator or a Representative, who fails and deliberately fails to be at his post of duty when duty calls is nothing more nor less than a shirk who don't begin to earn the $5,000 salary he receives, to say nothing about his perquisites which he may multiply by simply staying from his post of duty in order to avoid voting and acting as his constituents would have him vote and act. Since reduction of pay is in order these days, why not commence with our derelict statesmen who once managed to live on one-half their present pay?

In devising ways and means to get a quorum in Congress hereafter, the tellers will count members not responding when their names are called. The tellers will be chosen by the Speaker, one from each side of the House. When put to the test the plan was found to be popular. All but 47 of the Democrats voted for it, and all the Republicans. The Populists, however, did not record their votes either way.

A Spring Salad.

An appetizing Spring salad is made from cucumbers, white onions and green pepper. Chop the cucumbers, and to each one of medium size add a teaspoonful of chopped onion and a half tablespoonful of chopped green pepper with the seeds removed. Dress with French dressing. Serve with fish or broiled beefsteak.

Mrs. J. H. HORSNYDER, 152 Pacific Ave., Santa Cruz, Cal., writes:

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MISS POLLARD'S AWARD.

In arriving at a verdict of $15,000 for Miss Pollard it seems the jury took the usual method of allowing each juryman to mark down whatever he thought best. Then by adding the amounts and dividing by twelve the result was the amount determined upon as the jury's verdict.

In commenting upon this mode of concentrating twelve different conclusions into one conclusion or award, the friends of Mr. Breckinridge are disposed to criticise it severely from a legal standpoint, holding that the verdict or amount should represent the views of all the jurors and not be the result of an accommodation of their combined views or judgment, which they hold is thus reached without the exercise of judgment. Holding that such a verdict is unfairly gained, they even claim that a competent judge would have dismissed the whole case on its appearance as an impossible action. The verdict seems to give pretty general satisfaction to every body but Breckinridge and his counsel.

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A BAD BEST.

It seems that Jack Best, of the Coxey brigade, is somewhat of a misnomer, from the fact that he reached jail for stealing, not chickens, but patent medicine. Had our wealthy anti-tariff-reform boomers given Best security for the requisite $200 bail, the foul stench of a jail would never have permeated the wardrobe of Mr. Best—perhaps. We say perhaps with more or less emphasis in this case, because we can't tell for certain, about it. Mr. Best, (Coxey's best man for all we know) gives about the following version to the sad mishap: From a feeling of fellow-kindness he took an other young gentleman to sleep with him one night, who perhaps would have been obliged to sleep out under the broad canopy of heaven. And unfortunately his bed room was in the immediate neighborhood of some of Dr. Huber's liniment which was stored in the bath-room. No doubt their strict sense of cleanliness led them into the bath-room, where the temptation to steal the liniment got the better of Best's distressed friend. Somewhat like other more important cases recorded in history, the distressed young gentleman not only stole the liniment from the doctor, but out of his kindness of heart and full appreciation of Mr. Best's favor actually gave him a number of bottles to sell. Mr. Best then proceeded to cut rates on the doctor's prices it seems actually selling the goods as low as five cts. a bottle, and making money at that. It was not until Mr. Best discovered that the liniment was stolen by his bunk mate, and the iron arm of the law had embraced him, that he made his humble confession, which we must admit reflects somewhat upon the character and integrity of the bunk-mate of Mr. Best.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure,' for Rheumatism and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by C. A. Kleim, Druggist, Bloomsburg. 11-10-8m.

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